



# Senator Judson Hill

## Senate District 32



Senator Judson Hill was first elected to the Georgia Senate in 2004 by almost 75 percent of the vote to represent East Cobb County and a portion of Sandy Springs in northwest and north central metropolitan Atlanta. In 2006 and 2008 Senator Hill was unanimously elected to serve as Vice Chairman of the Senate Republican Caucus. He serves as Chairman of the Reapportionment and Redistricting Committee, Secretary of the Special Senate Judiciary Committee and is a member of the Health & Human Services, Judiciary, Urban Affairs and the Transportation Committee. In addition, Senator Hill is Chairman of the Georgia World Congress Center & Georgia Dome Overview Committee, Co-Chairman of the Georgia High School Sports Association Oversight Committee, Chairman of the Healthcare Transformation Senate Study Committee and serves on MARTOC - the oversight committee for the Metro Atlanta Rapid Transit Authority. Senator Hill previously served as a Deputy Majority Whip.

In 2008 Senator Hill authored and successfully passed the nation's first patient-centered prevention-focused free market healthcare reform legislation making healthcare and insurance more affordable for Georgia's working families. Several of his healthcare bills have been adopted by national associations as model legislation. In 2006 Senator Hill was instrumental in the passage of Georgia's comprehensive civil justice reform bill. He also co-sponsored and passed legislation allowing the people of Sandy Springs to vote on incorporation as a new city, measures protecting people from unfair governmental eminent domain powers, the nation's toughest immigration reform legislation, and in 2006 he sponsored one of the nation's toughest sexual predator bills.

Senator Hill and his wife Shelly have lived in East Cobb County for over 20 years. He came to Atlanta in the 70's to attend Emory University. Shelly grew up in East Cobb graduating from Lassiter High School. Judson and his wife have been active in the east Cobb community for many years at Johnson Ferry Baptist Church, serving on the Board of East Cobb Park and volunteering in many community service activities.

Senator Hill graduated from Emory University with a B.A. in Economics and Political Science. His Juris Doctorate degree is from the Walter F. George School of Law at Mercer University, Macon, Georgia. In 2002 he co-authored the business book, "Enhancing Your Business Value".

Senator Hill served in the Reagan Administration as an Assistant United States Attorney for the Northern District of Georgia, and also in Washington, D.C. as a White House appointee at the United States Department of State, Agency for International Development. Prior to that Senator Hill worked for President Ronald Reagan on the White House Advance Team and on the Reagan-Bush '84 campaign. Before he was elected in 2004, he led numerous state and local political campaigns. Aside from his service to the State and community, Judson has been a Sunday school and Bible study teacher for many years and is currently a partner in a real estate development and investments firm.